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Subject: Transmittal of the Final Comprehensive Remedial Design/Remedial Action Work Plan Addendum and Supporting Documents for V-Tanks Early Remedial Action for the Test Area North, Waste Area Group 1, Operable Unit 1-10, Group 2 Sites - (EM-ER-03-136)

Dear Mr. Pierre and Mr. Nygard:

The *Comprehensive Remedial Design/Remedial Action Work Plan Addendum for V-Tanks Early Remedial Action for the Test Area North, Waste Area Group 1, Operable Unit 1-10, Group 2 Sites*, provides the remedial design and remedial action work plan (RD/RAWP) for early remedial action activities that will be performed in FY 03.

The final documents supporting the RD/RAWP include:

Field Sampling Plan for V-Tanks Early Remedial Action at Waste Area Group 1, Operable Unit 1-10

Waste Management Plan for V-Tanks Early Remedial Action for the Test Area North, Waste Area Group 1, Operable Unit 1-10, Group 2 Sites.

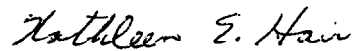
The early remedial action activities include isolating tank V-9 from building TAN-616 and soil sampling to further characterize and identify the V-Tanks area of contamination. This work will be done in conjunction with the TAN-616 voluntary consent order piping and TAN-1704 valve box removal.

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The final documents have incorporated the agreed upon Agency comment resolutions to the draft documents as identified in the comment resolution forms contained in appendices to each of the documents. Please contact me at (208) 526-4392 or Mark Shaw at (208) 526-6442 with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathleen E. Hain".

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